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NEW MACHINERY FOR SOVIET PETROLEUM, PEAT INDUSTRY

EARLY PLAN FULFILLMENT -- Baku, Bakinskiy Rabochiy, 25 May 52

The Baku Plant imeni Dzerzhinskiy fulfilled ahead of schedule the 5-month plan for production of petroleum-industry equipment. Commendable efforts are being made in Machine Shop No 1, and in the forge, chrome-plating and assembly shops. One outstanding brigade is assembling 20 above-plan deep-well pumps each week.

Baku, Bakinskiy Rabochiy, 24 Jun 52

The Baku Plant imeni Dzerzhinskiy fulfilled its 6-month plan on 22 June. Production of petroleum equipment increased 23 percent in comparison with the 1951 figure; production of deep-well pumps also exceeded the 1951 total. The cost of production was reduced 9.4 percent in comparison with the first half of 1951.

The plant has begun mass production of new, better deep-well pumps.

WIN STAKHANOVITE RATINGS -- Baku, Bakinskiy Rabochiy, 11 Jul 52

The Baku Drilling Tool Plant imeni Kirov has won Stakhanovite ratings for its tool-joint, first-tool, and heat-treatment shops. The plant has turned out a great many above-plan tool joints and bits.

NEW DRILL TO BE PRODUCED -- Alma-Ata, Kazakhstanskaya Pravda, 19 Jul 52

By order of the Ministry of the Petroleum Industry, the Baku Bol'shevik Plant has made preparations for the series production of a new drill for use in exploratory petroleum drilling.

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SHIP DRILLING UNIT TO VOLGA AREA -- Moscow, Trud, 7 Aug 52

The Kungur Machine Building Plant is establishing production of new equipment for the petroleum industry. The plant has just shipped a mobile exploratory drilling rig to the Volga area.

NEW FUEL-APPORTIONING DEVICES -- Baku, Bakinskiy Rabochiy, 17 Jul 52

The Kiev Nefteizmeritel' Plant has established series production of a new fuel-apportioning device. Secured to a pipe, it permits an indicated amount of fuel to run out, then automatically shuts it off. It will find broad application at petroleum bases and gasoline filling stations.

The plant has also begun series production of devices for measuring out fuel being pumped into tank cars and tankers.

SEND PIPE LAYERS -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 26 Jul 52

The Leningrad Machinery Plant of the Ministry of the Petroleum Industry sent about 30 heavy pipe-laying machines to the Volga-Don Canal.

NEW MACHINE GATHERS, DRIES PEAT -- Leningradskaya Pravda, 24 May 52

The All-Union Scientific Research Institute of the Peat Industry has developed a new machine, the DTU, which gathers lump peat and lays it out to dry. Two models of the new machine have been built and tested in the field with satisfactory results.

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